

MAN'S BODY IN SHARK

Found in Stomach of the
Dead Monster on the
Jersey Coast

A SECOND BIG SHARK IS KILLED

New Jersey Coast Is Infest-
ed, Says an Incoming
Ship

New York, July 14.—A monster shark whose stomach contained part of a human body, was killed at Keyport, N. J., yesterday, according to information received at the weather bureau here from the observer at Long Branch, N. J. The shark, weighing 800 pounds, and 11 feet long, was killed near the mouth of Matawan creek, N. J., and was undoubtedly the same fish which Wednesday invaded the creek and killed two persons, the weather bureau's informant reported.

Another report from Riverhead says fishermen returning there yesterday stated they had caught a 10-foot shark on a hook and line in Long Island sound Wednesday.

The waters of the Atlantic seaboard are infested with sharks. While hundreds of armed men in motorboats were patrolling the Jersey coast yesterday in search of the man-eating monsters which have now caused the death of four bathers, the British sloop Sir George Somers, arrived from Bermuda with a score of sharks the crew had caught in the Gulf stream during the 12 days' voyage to this port.

The last was caught off the Jersey coast Tuesday. The crew said that the big fish were numerous and hungry. They followed the ship and snarped viciously at bait. They said that sharks in Bermuda waters were common enough but that they did not expect to see them so far north. These that they caught were pulled in with hook and line and killed as they were hoisted aboard.

Dread of the monsters has virtually cleared the middle Atlantic coast beaches of bathers, according to reports received here yesterday. Meanwhile many summer resort proprietors are enclosing their bathing places with steel nets.

"The surprising thing about the recent shark ravages," said Dr. C. H. Townsend, director of the aquarium, here yesterday, "is that we have never had serious trouble with them before. Every year, about the middle of June these big fish that are so dangerous around Cuba and the West Indies, move north with the warm weather and stay till the middle of September. They can be caught any time desired well inside Sandy Hook and are often found in fish pounds not half a mile from shore all the way as far as Maine. But they never before have attacked human beings."

"Sharks in these waters," Dr. Townsend continued, "are of 18 to 20 different kinds. Of these only half a dozen are dangerous, the white, dusky, blue, mackerel and tiger being the worst. They run from 10 to 15 feet and are the only kinds which have both the courage and the jaws and teeth to be dangerous. Whether the sharks which have been causing such trouble on the Jersey coast are a new kind or simply a few 'bad' ones which have tasted flesh before it is impossible to say. Danger from them, however, is always present."

ALLIES PLAN TO KEEP OFFENSIVE UP FOR MONTHS

Premier Asquith Announces Suspension
of August Holidays as Part
of Program.

London, July 14.—Premier Asquith, in announcing the suspension of the August bank holidays in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, revealed the determination of the allies to continue the great offensive for months, if necessary, to achieve final victory.

The suspension of workers' holidays is by royal proclamation and for the purpose of insuring a steady supply of war munitions.

In announcing this proclamation the prime minister declared that, while there had been a change of position favorable to the allies, there was urgent need that the supply of munitions be kept moving in a constant stream to the British front. "We should make it possible to continue the bombardment and assault indefinitely," he told the commons. A burst of cheering followed this statement.

The general suspension of August holidays requested in the royal proclamation is in line with a request made upon many workers in munition and other war supply industries by David Lloyd George, now secretary for war. Recently Lloyd George asked the suspension of the July holidays, a request that met with general approval by workmen.

RACE HORSES KILLED.

Lightning Struck Barns at Empire City
Race Track.

New York, July 14.—A small panic occurred yesterday afternoon at the Empire City race track when a severe electrical storm resulted in the killing of three crack race horses, the smashing of several barns and the damaging of the west end of the big grandstand.

A bolt of lightning struck one of the barns of August Belmont and instantly killed two of his horses—Cockleshell, a two-year-old, and Nancy Fair. James Butler's horse, Variety, was so injured by the wreckage from the Belmont stable that he had to be killed.

The large crowd that filled the stands huddled together while the storm lasted. When the lightning crashed into the big stand the women became hysterical. Only the cool-headedness of the men stopped a general panic.

The storm broke immediately after the running of the first race and continued in fury for nearly 15 minutes, necessitating a delay in running of the rest of the program.

July Clearance

This Stock Reducing Event Provides Extraordinary Saving Opportunities

It will not take thriftily inclined people long to realize the significance of the above statement, coming from this store, if they will recall just for a moment the continuous advance in price of all commodities. It matters not what newspaper or magazine you take up, you will find in it an article in reference to the high cost of goods of every kind. Yet, in spite of these advancing prices, this July Clearance brings to you desirable merchandise at prices that at once emphasize saving possibilities to be gauged only by the amount of your purchases.

We cannot name the full list of special values and price reductions in this space. However, the items and prices listed here give you an idea of the trend of the values. You will find plenty of others equally as satisfying.

Sale Begins Saturday Morning, July 15, at 8:30

Savings in Seasonable Dress Goods

This July Clearance affords you an opportunity to buy Summer Dress Goods just when you are thinking of making them up. One lot Flowered and Striped Voiles, 40 inches wide, formerly at 19c to 29c, to close at 15c per yard. Good variety of colorings.

White Goods

One lot of odd pieces suitable for Skirts, Waists, etc., to close at greatly reduced prices.

Remnants

Prices Cut to Almost Half

Hundreds of Remnants, all manner of lengths and including practically every kind of material in the store, every piece carefully measured and marked. In many cases there are lengths suitable for waists, children's dresses, or even dresses for small women.

Look them over early, as they will go fast.

Odd Pieces of Curtain Material

suitable for one or two windows, priced at almost half their original cost. This means a big saving if you need Curtains for one or two windows.

Cottons and Crashes

are steadily advancing in price, and these at the prices we quote will not last long.

One lot 40-inch Lockwood Cotton, 2 to 10-yd. lengths, while it lasts, per yard . . . 7c

One lot Bleached Cotton, 36 inches wide, 5 to 15-yd. lengths, to close, per yard . . . 7c

500 yards Cotton and Linen Union Crash, either Bleached or Unbleached, actual value 12 1/2c, to close, per yard . . . 9c

One lot Linen Crash, Red Colored Border, specially priced, per yard . . . 10c

Sheets, Pillow Slips, Spreads, etc.

at prices that mean a big saving to you. We haven't space to enumerate each of these items, but we are sure when you have seen them you will appreciate these values.



Unequalled Value in Muslin Underwear

A Sale of Special Interest to Every Lady in Barre and Vicinity

The average woman realizes that to be able to secure Muslin Underwear at lower than our regular prices is a saving occasion to be taken advantage of. These Undermuslins are made of the sheerest and finest of fabrics, combined with delicate laces and embroideries, skillfully trimmed in the newest and most original patterns. Look them over while the assortment is large.

Dainty Night Gowns of Exquisite Beauty

These are made of delicate and sheer fabrics and beautifully trimmed. You'll find them delightfully soft and cool on hot summer nights. Specially priced at 69c, 87c and 98c, much under their original value.

Handsome Fitting Drawer and Skirt Combination

Attractive in both fabric and design are these dainty Combinations. They will prove irresistible to every woman who sees them. They are priced at 69c, 87c and 98c, which means a saving of about 20 per cent. to you.

Chemises, Underskirts, Corset Covers, etc.

in an array of pretty and original designs. You will find this an unequalled opportunity to lay in a supply of attractive Undermuslins at prices that will mean a saving to you if you purchase now.

Clearance in Our Shoe Department

75 pairs Oxfords and Pumps, Values up to \$4.00—to close at \$1.98

It is our custom each season to clean up all odd lots and discontinued numbers. This season as usual all odd lots must go. In this lot are Oxfords, Pumps, Colonials, etc., in Tan, Patent and Gun Metal. A great chance to buy good Shoes right in the beginning of their season.

100 pairs Odd Low Shoes at \$1.00 pair

These are mostly in narrow widths and small sizes. If you have a small foot, here is a big trade for you.

Women's Suits and Dresses Lowered in Cost

\$12.50, \$15.00 and up to \$18.00 Suits at \$9.95

These Suits are made of Checks, Gabardines, Poplins, etc. Styles of the type you have admired heretofore. Every garment is well made, and the only reason for this extremely lowered price is to effect a quick and absolute clearance.

\$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00 and up to \$30.00 Suits at \$13.95

When it is possible for you to secure a good Suit that will give you months of good wear at the price mentioned above, it is merely a question of your seeing the garments. You will buy at once.

Silk Dresses Reduced

In this group are Dresses suitable for all occasions. Styles are appropriate for street as well as dress wear. Many are Dresses that you would not hesitate on paying full prices for in a month or two from now. \$15.00 values now \$12.50; \$16.50 values now \$13.95.

Coats to Close at Great Reductions

These are garments that you will need practically every night this summer. They were unusual values at their regular prices. At this new low cost, the values are extraordinary.

Special Waist Values

Our Shirt Waist Department offers many unusually good Waist values, but this space will permit us to mention just one.

White Voile Waists, \$1.00

After you have seen the Waists made of soft sheer materials and trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries, there will be no doubt left in your mind as to the values offered. You cannot have too many just such Waists as this.

Unusual Values

Our Garment Section offers many other unusual values, such as Raincoats, House Dresses, Silk Petticoats, Children's Dresses, Children's Coats, odd Corsets, Parasols, White Skirts, etc.



The Homer Fitts Co.

Barre, Vermont



JUDGE CLARKE OF CLEVELAND SLATED FOR SUPREME COURT

Believed to Be President's Choice for
Place Made Vacant By Resignation of Hughes.

Washington, July 14.—Federal District Judge John H. Clarke of Ohio is now the favorite possibility mentioned here as the next nomination for supreme court of the United States to succeed Mr. Hughes. Mr. Clarke is a Democrat, and is said to be recommended by Secretary of War Baker. It is understood that Attorney General Gregory has submitted

a report on Judge Clarke to the president.

In addition to Judge Clarke, Judge J. T. Jenks of the New York supreme court and Morgan J. O'Brien of New York are said to be under consideration.

Another name on the list is that of Judge Victor J. Dowling of the New York supreme court and it was learned yesterday that he stands next to Judge Clarke. Judge Dowling is prominent in Tammany circles in New York and has been often mentioned as a possible candidate for mayor or governor.

Judge Clarke, who is 59 years old, has been more or less prominent in Ohio political affairs. He was the Democratic candidate for the United States Senate

in 1903 and made a wide canvass against Mark H. Hanna. He is vice-president for Ohio of the Anti-Imperialist league.

SENATOR O'GORMAN MAKES MOVE TO SAVE CASEMENT

Asks President Wilson to Intervene in
Effort to Have Death Sentence
Commuted.

Washington, July 14.—Senator O'Gorman asked President Wilson yesterday to have Ambassador Page at London intervene informally in an effort to secure the commutation of the death sen-

tence of Sir Roger Casement. The president said he would do anything proper in the case. The Senate foreign relations committee recently declined to recommend passage of a resolution introduced by Senator Martine asking the president to seek a stay of execution until further facts could be presented in Sir Roger's case.

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NO BIG JAPANESE NAVY PLAN.

Stories of Authorization of Four Super-

dreadnoughts Misleading.

Tokio, July 14.—Despatches sent to America stating that Japan has authorized the construction of four superdreadnoughts are untrue and misleading. According to press reports, which are contradictory, the navy has submitted to the finance department a repletion programme to be introduced in the Japanese Diet involving the expenditure of about 250,000,000 yen in seven years. This programme calls for the construction of three superdreadnoughts, two battle cruisers, numerous light cruisers, destroyers and submarines. The superdreadnoughts already completed or now

building are the Fuso, Yamashiro, Ise, Hyuga and Nagato.

The reported programme would fulfill the naval ambition by the creation of a first line fleet of eight superdreadnoughts. Officials of the navy department declined yesterday to discuss the programme, saying the Japanese press accounts of it are surmises.

Cuts Are Dangerous

Cuts or wounds, sores or bruises are likely to become infected quickly. It is therefore, very important for you to immediately apply Minard's liniment the remarkably pure, creamy antiseptic for it kills germs instantly and makes wounds heal rapidly.

Special Prices on Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes Saturday at SHEA'S SHOE STORE!



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\$3 and \$3.25 grade—
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Women's White Canvas Footwear!

Leather and Rubber Soles, Straps and
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